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#### ACCUSED OF STEALING. THREE BOYS ACQUITTED

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THE HERALD BUREAU, R. E. Knight & Son, 621-623 King Street.

Alexandria, Va., Jan. 13.-The Virginia Carolina Chemical Company, whose plant is located at the foot of Duke street on the river front, has been robbed of more than 17,000 fertilizer sacks valued at about \$3,000. The thefts have been in progress since last June the officials of the company believe.

In police court today three boys, 12, 13 and 16 years old, were tried on war-

them to a junk dealer named Bennett on King street at 3 cents each. A sec-ond batch of sacks, the boys claimed, was found by them in a ditch. Mrs. Bennett told the court she bought

about ten sacks from the boys, but on a second occasion refused to purchase the sacks and chased the boys away. Because she failed to report the pur-chase Mrs. Bennett was fined \$10. Jus-tice Caton acquitted the boys with a

Final decrees for divorce on the round of desertion were handed down oday in the Circuit Court for this city, J. B. T. Thornton presiding, in ollowing cases: Eva V. Harmon rom Edward James Harmon, Maude L. Ballou from Spencer F. Ballou, John Ballou from Spencer F. Ballou, . M. Orndor from Nellie V. Orndorff. Temporary decrees of divorce

round of desertion was granted Frances Rhoe Freedman from Louis Freedman, complainant being given permission to resume her maiden ame, Frances Rhoe Ballenger. Attorney R. B. Washington represented the

A divorce on the ground of deser-tion was granted Ernest Moore from Mamie Frances Moore. Attorney Ed-Mamie Frances Moore. Attorney Edmund Hill represented the plaintiff.

Moore, secretary; J. Edward treasurer; W. H. Wildt, re-Bernard Hamilton, commander of hose. John Clapdore was indorsed for driver of the truck for the thirtyfourth consecutive year.

Plans for entertaining members of Company G. First Virginia Regiment, known as the Alexandria Light Infantry, who are expected to return from Richmond, Va., at noon Wednesday, will be mond. committee of arrangements to be held at 8 o'clock Monday night in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce.

Members of the Columbia Fire En-Members of the Columbia Fire Ensine Company at a meeting held tonight
also arranged to take part in the affair.
John Stowart Bryan, editor of the
News-Leader, Richmond, Va., will at 7
o'clock Sunday night deliver an address
in Christ P. E. Church before the congregations of Christ and St. Paul's P. E.
churches on "The Church Pension "The Church Pension

Harry Hammond, of this city, has been re-elected secretary and treasurer of the Virginia Ice Manufacturers' Association.

The Children's Home selected the following officers: Mrs. James Hulfish, president; Mrs. P. E. Clift, vice president; Mrs. C. D. Hubbard, recording dent; Mrs. C. D. Huddard, recording secretary; Mrs. C. S. Taylor Burke, corresponding secretary; James Roberts, treasurer; Mrs. Mollie Whatiey, superin-

#### BAND CONCERT PROGRAM.

By the Soldiers' Home Band Orchestra, at Stanley Hall, this evening, beginning at 6:30 o'clock. John S. M. Zimmermann, director.

PROGRAM.

March, "Peace Conference"....Lincoln
Overture, "Italian in Algiere"...Donizutti 

(b) "Come Back to Erin"
(c) "Believe Me If All Those Endear-

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**BOSTON OPERA TROUPE CLOSES SEASON HERE** 

Sacks Valued at \$3,000 Taken From Faust, Given in Evening, Charms Appreciative Audience.

> The presentation of Gounoud's opera, "Faust," at 2'oif's Theater last evening closed the limited engagement of the Bos-ton National Grand Opera Company here ton National Grand Opera Company here this season. The opera itself, teeming with melody and dramatic climaxes, coupled with superb orchestral and seenic effects, was rendered under the direction of Fulgenzio Guerrieri. The charm of the music and the mystical attraction of the story, with its supernatural power, was

progress since last June the officials of the company believe.

In police court today three boys, 12, 13 and 16 years old, were tried on warrants issued on complaint of an agent of the company that the trie had stolen sacks valued at \$85.

The testimony of one of the trie was that he saw a colored man with a horse and wagon removing sacks from the rear of the place, and that the colored man dropped several of the sacks. It was claimed by the boy that they sold them to a junk dealer named Bennett rich barytone voice and diabolical impersonation of the part, added greatly to the production. Maggie Teyte was charming as Marguerite, her pure soprano voice pleasing the audience in the many familiar arias. Graham Marr as Valentin, the borther of Marguerite, displayed a voice of unusual sweetness and dramatic emotion and in the duel and death scenes held the close attention of the audience. Dorothy Follis, as Siebel, sang effectively, especially in the flower song, and the

ly, especially in the flower song, and the part of Martha, the weak and vain aunt, was well taken by Maria Winietskaja. President and Mrs. Wilson and a party from the White House occupied one of

#### Belasco-Robert Mantell.

Mr. Robert Mantell and his spiendid ompany of Shakespearean players clos-d their three-day engagement at the Belasco Theater last night with Richard III, a production in which they made all who saw it regretful that there were granted Elsie Mueller from Theodore
Mueller and Alvin M. Fugitt from Agnes C. Fugitt. Attorney Charles E.
ley Cibber version and with his super-Mr. Mantell's King Richard is the Col-ley Cibber version and with his superb organ represented the plaintiffs in all qualities as an actor there was nothing to be desired in the potrayal of the Hunchback King. Mr. Mantell was so consistently wicked and heartless in the roll that he excited the respect of his audience for the old murderer and made his death seem more the victory of a youthful Richmond over a doddering Gloucester than just retribution and a

visitation of heaven.

As King Henry VI, Mr. Guy Lindsley was all that sould be desired and the role admirably fitted this excellent actor whose versatility in Shakespearean roles has been known for years. Mr. Frank Peters as Lord Stanley and Mr. John Burke as the Duke of Buckingham fitted

their parts exceedingly well.

Of the feminine roles that of Miss Genevieve Hamper as the widow of Edward of Wales and Miss Marion Evenson as the widow of Edward IV stood out prominently as exceedingly meritorious performances, while the calm dignity and superb tragedy of Miss Genevieve Reynolds as the Duchess of York brought much applause.

Poli's "Iris."

Mascagni's beautiful opera "Iris."
though originally produced as far back
as 1898, is said never to have been given
in Washington until yesterday afternoon,
when the Boston National Company when the Boston-National Grand Opera Company offered it as the third item of its brief season at Poli's Theater. Interest of the local enthusiasts

Interest of the local enthusiasts cen-tered in the appearance of Tamaki Miura. the noted Japanese soprano, in the title role, and the event proved to be worthy and power, but portrays the dainty little maid of Japan with such exquisite artis-try and appealing charm as to convey the poetle spirit of the tragedy with the The splendid barytone of Thomas Chal-

mers was heard in the part of Kyoto, the keeper of the house in the Yoshiwara, which has just concluded its second annual convention in Richmond.

The Rosemont Development Company, incorporated, has sold to John Smithdeal, of Cherrydale, Alexandria County, two building lots in section 1 and 3 of the subdivision of Rosemont. and orchestral effects, the tremendous song of the sun which opens and closes the tale having been most impressively rendered.

#### Nutshell News

Attorney Robert H. McNelll has filed uit in the District Supreme Court to re-over \$25,410 from Oliver J. Sands and Harry D. Elchelberger. This amount, the plaintiff claims, is due him for profes-sional services in connection with the purchase of the property at the northwest orner of Vermont avenue and H streets Former Judge Daniel Thew Wright and T. Morris Wampler appear for McNeill.

Albert W. Taylor yesterday instituted suit for \$10,000 damages in the District Supreme Court, against the Washington Steel and Ordnance Company for personal injuries alleged to have been received while in the employ of the company June 27, 1916.

Justice McCoy, in Criminal Division No. 2, yesterday sentenced Homer Wells, who pleaded guilty to purchasing govern-ment shoes from a Fort Myer trooper, to pay a fine of \$50 and to serve two years in the penitentiary. The prison sentence was suspended, however, and Wells will be given until tomorrow to pay the fine:

Harry A. Easterton, who conducts a grocery store at 88 N street northwest, reported to the police that when he opened his place of business yesterday morning, he found the glass in the front door shottened and bis cash register. grocery store at 88 N street northwest, reported to the police that when he opened his place of business yesterday scaffold while painting the side of the morning, he found the glass in the front door shattered, and his cash register gone, as well as a number of cigarettes. Police of the Fourth Precinct later found the register in a yard near the grocery, but the contents, \$10, was gone.

An automobile owned by J. H. Small & Co. florists at Fifteenth and H. streets. & Co. florists at Fifteenth and H. streets.

An automobile owned by J. H. Small terday for larceny, with stealing a wa while standing in front of 1644 Connecticut avenue yesterday afternoon. into by a machine operated by Mrs. Sarah B. Miller, of Cleveland Park. No one was hurt, but both vehicles were damaged.

The Police Court the action of the ground product the groun

A defective flue in the residence of W. D. Lee, 3918 Fifth street, caused a small fire yesterday afternoon.

Sult has been instituted in the District
Supreme Court by Louis Dinowitz
through his attorneys, Alvin L. Newmyer and William P. Frost, to recover
tion of his estate among his children,
and Siye and Watson, a corporation.

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The plaintiff, who conducts a tailoring business in the Madrid apartment, 2300 Eighteenth street northwest, avers that certain privileges have been abridged, and that his business has suffered there-

The Police Court yesterday held for Mrs. the action of the grand jury in \$5,000 k. No bond on a charge of housebreaking. Robreleased from the Maryland State Peni

A car of the Washington Railway and Electric Company collided with a wagon solved and driven by Abe Glisson at Four-and-a-Half and School streets southwest, yesterday afternoon. The driver of the wagon and the occupants of the car escaped injury. The street car was slightly damaged.

An overheated stove in the residence of Adeline Thomas. 2502 Mozart place northwest, caused about \$25 damage by fire yesterday afternoon.

Coroner Nevitt gave a certificate of accidental death after viewing the body of John N. Presgraves, 45 years old, who was found dead in his bed at 420 Sixth street northwest, from illuminating gas Friday night.

Harry B. Brooks, colored, was sentenced yesterday by Justice McCoy to serve fourteen years in the penitentiary. Brooks was convicted of attempting to kill his wife, Martha B. Brooks, last March by sending a bottle of blackberry corollar to her in which had been placed a quantity of "rough on rats." Attorney J. A. O'Shea, for the prisoner, noted an appeal from the sentence.

The bill of George W. Stone, dated

#### BIRTHS REPORTED

WHITE.

Joseph A. and Eva L. Schwartz, girl.

Lloyd H. and Irma Sutton, girl.

Harry E. and Lena Shapiro, girl.

Jacob and Rebecca E. Samakow, girl.

Harry A. and Maude Ourand, girl.

William H. and Hattle W. Martin, boy.

Bert and Mae B. Myera, girl.

Walter H. and Alma G. McGuire, boy.

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Walter S. and Eisler R. Dunlop, girl.

George E. and Gertrude H. Edwards, girl.

George E. and Helen J. Eillott, boy.

Charles G. and Josephine W. Austin, girl.

COLORED.

Philip P. and Lucile Smith, boy.

Hamilton H. and Sadie A. Preston, girl.

William T. and Leitzech Maynard boy.

Edward and Leita Lacey, boy.

Harry and Olivia Johnson, girl.

William T. and Leite Jackson, boy and girl twins.

Percy and Elizabeth Ford, girl.

Percy and Elizabeth Ford, girl. George and Ethel Biggers, girl.

#### DEATHS REPORTED

WHITE. WHITE.
Irene Green, 50 years, Wash. Home for Incurables.
Mary A. Ross, 47, St. Elizabeth's Hospital,
John P. Morse, 87, 131 Adams st. nw.
Elizabeth Shied, 28, 604 K at. ne.
Mabel B. Heaton, 69, corner Pipey Branch rd. and
islatin st. ne.

Mabel B. Heaton, 69, corner Piney Branch rd. and Galatin st. nw.
Peter C. George, 74, 3107 S. Dak. ave. nc.
Thomas H. Borders, 46, 8t. Elizabeth's Hospital.
Jacob Lyou, 25, Episconal Hospital.
Louis M. Grimmer, 44, 933 lith st. nw.
Charles Hoebert, 62, 320 living st. nw.
Mary E. Benson, 4, 8libey Hospital.
COLORED.
Louis Pletcher, 55, 40 Defrees st. nw.
James E. Levi, 1, 1469 Church st. nw.
Adeline Allen, 40, 1898 8th st. nw.
Prank Quarles, 60, Garfield Hospital.
Emma Speare, 51, 1749 Seaton st. nw.
Nelson McGowan, 2c, Freedmen's Hospital,
Harriet Hawkins, 70, 1337 29th st. nw.
William A. Pitts, 64, 3H U st. nw.

#### EMBASSY EMPLOYE DIES

David McIntosh, an employe at the British Embassy, who was taken to Em-ergency Hospital last Monday, died yesterday at that institution from blood-poisoning which had been contracted from injury to his leg. At the embassy last night it was said

has McIntosh had been in this country onl about a month. He was about 40 years old and unmarried.

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